

**The Education Foundation presents 2007 Smaller Learning Communities Institute  
bringing together those who are building success:**

Whether you are currently involved in an SLC or hope to begin building a program in your school, you don't want to miss this rare opportunity to:

- Exchange ideas
- Discuss lessons learned
- Take away ideas about SLC programs
- Share best practices

Featured speakers:

Dr. Diana Oxley, a senior program advisor at the Northwest Regional Educational Laboratory, will be presenting "What Makes Small Learning Communities Work." Oxley is a leading national expert on implementation of SLCs.

Suzette Lee, director, Office of High School Redesign, S.C. State Department of Education, will provide the most recent developments about high school redesign that relate to SLCs.

**Friday, March 23**

**8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.**

**The College Center (Building 920), Trident Technical College  
7000 Rivers Avenue, North Charleston**

**Registration fee: \$65 per person**

**SPACE IS LIMITED. REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 23, 2007.**

Concurrent session topics include: Ninth Grade Academy, Ninth Grade Orientation, Advisor/Advisee programs, Career Academies and Closing the Achievement Gap. The Institute will also include roundtable discussions focused on the concurrent session topics.

Please register for the SLC Institute here.

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Please complete the Customer Information page and scroll down to the Comments section to include names and school/district affiliations of all attendees.

Please visit the SLC Institute web page for directions, hotel recommendations and SLC Institute updates.

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